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WRANGELL, ALASKA

**OUR WEEKLY
PEER AMID**

Items of Interest Gathered From
Here and There

School adjourns tonight until the Monday after New Years.

A new ad. of the Cassiar Saloon appears on page 4 of this issue.

The revenue cutter Perry called at this port twice during the week.

Bring your job printing to this office. Best work and reasonable prices.

Sam Cunningham, Peter Jensen, Hans Nelson and Geo. Snyder hunted deer on Zarembo Island one day this week, but only captured one.

WRANGELL, ALASKA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1908.

ALASKA SENTINEL.

\$2.00 PER YEAR

CHRISTMAS AT ST. PHILIP'S

Christmas Eve, 11:00 p. m., Midnight service.
Morning service on Friday (Christmas Day) at 10:30, with Holy Communion. Children's exercises at 7:00 p. m.

PROGRAM

Chorus by the School, "Shine On, Bright Star."

Prayer.

Trio—Mabel and Grace Wigg and Anna Lewis.

Recitations as follows:

"Santa Claus Has a Gold," Ellery Carlson.

"The Star," James Sha-ka-na.

"I Have Forgotten My Piece," Margaret Grant.

"If I Were Santa Claus," Alice Kincaid.

Song—"Luther's Cradle Hymn," by Talitha Ensley.

Play—"The Return of Christmas."

Cast of Characters:

Mr. Edmund Randolph, Leonard Campbell.

Mrs. Randolph, Marguerite Uhler.

Tommy, Carl Carlson.

Mabel, Talitha Ensley.

Miss Woodbridge, Anna Lewis.

Grimmies, Wayne Tucker.

Santa Claus, Geo. Klauquit.

Boys' Chorus, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas Revisions:

"Scaring Santa Claus," Neal Grant.

"The American Stocking," Herman Ensley.

"The Wise Men," Alfred Royalty.

"Wanting Just a Little," Sam Engley.

"If You Are Good," Wm. Lewis.

"Santa Claus' Gifts," Louis Wigg.

"Captain," Ellery Carlson.

Cornet Solo—George Northup.

Distribution of presents by Santa Claus.

Sunday morning service at 10:30.

Children's service at 7:30 p. m.

Recitations by Grace Wigg, Wm. Taylor and Marie Thomesen.

Song by Talitha Ensley.

Lantern views will be given to illustrate the songs.

Christmas music will be repeated.

You are cordially invited to attend these services.

NEW YEARS EVE BALL

The Red Men's big masquerade ball which is scheduled for the night of December 31—New Years Eve—promises to be the most enjoyable event of its kind ever given in this town. The committee having the arrangements in hand have been working early and late for the success of the ball, and the following list of prizes is evidence of the gratifying result of their labors:

F. Matheson, one gentleman's watch bob, valued \$7.50.

D. Sinclair, one clock valued \$8.

St. Michael Trading Co., lady's dressing set valued \$8.

Tlingit Trading Co., salad set \$3.50.

L. C. Patenaude, cigar holder, \$5.

Dr. Emery, order for dental work \$10.

Shurick Drug Co., sterling silver sugar shell, \$3.50.

Wrangell Drug Co., shaving mug and brush, \$1.75.

Bruno Greif, lady's hand bag, \$5.

J. G. Grant, lady's dancing slippers, valued \$2.

Jack Norton, gentleman's dancing pumps, \$2.

Sing Lee, lady's toilet set, \$5.

M. Healy, two holders, \$2.

C. Deany, box cigars, \$7.00.

Olympic Restaurant, lady's bracelet, value \$2.50.

C. M. Coulter, ham, \$3.

Geo. Snyder, his year's subscription and packet calling cards, \$3.

The above prizes will be awarded as follows, and in the order given:

Most gorgeous lady costume—

Dressing set.

Hand bag.

Most gorgeous gent costume—

Large clock.

Watch fob.

Best sustained lady character—

Sterling sugar shell.

Salad set.

Best sustained gent character—

Box cigars.

Ham.

Best lady waltzer—

Toilet set.

Bracelet.

Best gent waltzer—

Cigar holder.

Dancing pumps.

Most comical lady character—

Dancing slippers.

Holder.

Calling cards.

Most comical gent character—

Shaving mug.

Holder.

Year's subscription to SENTINEL.

Best group—

Order for dental work.

The music will be furnished by the Wrangell orchestra, led by Dr. Schroeder.

Calling cards printed in Engravers' Old English, the latest style of type, \$1 per hundred at this office.

PICTURE FRAMES

We have on hand a limited number of Plain and Elaborate Picture Frames which we desire to close out to make room for new goods. These frames can be used for cabinet or large photographs, and the mouldings are in various designs. Prices on this line of goods will be

CUT IN HALF

If you have a picture to frame, this is your opportunity. But you must come soon if you want to get your choice

You would be Surprised at the Bargains we are Offering
in all Kinds of Clothing and Furnishings

THLINGET TRADING CO.

WATCHMAN NECESSARY

Miss Anna Durkee has been here for several days on business connected with the garnet properties at the mouth of the river, and she informed a reporter that the corporation of which she is the general manager intends to develop the garnet properties, but that the preliminary business is necessarily slow.

The corporation having been organized under the laws of Minnesota, would be restricted to the mining of garnets and manufacturing them into articles of jewelry. It is therefore the intention to effect a reorganization of the corporation under the laws of North Dakota, which will allow the privilege of embracing other opportunities which may arise out of the development of the garnet properties.

Miss Durkee found upon her arrival at Seattle that certain parties in Wrangell have been taking the garnets from the ledge and shipping them to considerable quantities to curio dealers at the Sound city. In order to put a stop to this practice Miss Durkee is having a house built at the properties, and has telegraphed to a gentleman in St. Paul, who is expected here on an early boat to assume the duties of watchman.

WHO WILL GET IT?

Conjecture is rife as to who will draw the capital prize in the approaching sale of the property belonging to the Williamson-Sylvester estate. Rumor has it that the sawmill men of Juneau and Ketchikan are determined that the property shall not pass into the control of outside parties, while it is said that Sound parties will bid "to the very last ditch." We are told that one man will bid who is worth a million dollars. As it is certain that there will be several bidders, the property is expected to bring a good price.

Whoever is the lucky one will buy a property than which there is no more lucrative in southeastern Alaska, proportioned with the amount invested, and the people of Wrangell are anxious to see it go to someone who will keep the mill in operation during the entire year.

STARTLING DISCOVERY

Mr. A. P. Webb, a prospector who is making his headquarters at Klawak, accompanied Rev. Wagner to town last Monday, bringing word that Claire Snyder and Ken Talmage are getting along nicely and intend to remain on the west coast until after the holidays. He also brought in some very fine looking specimens of ore from a discovery made by the two boys, which, being assayed, showed up the following values:

Pyrites of stove polish.....\$ 0.01

Bromide of axle grease.....0.01

Clam shells.....0.02

Fish worm oil.....0.01

Common rock.....0.00

Whetstones.....0.01

Sergt. M. A. McNurney leaves on the next northbound Jefferson for Fort Wm. H. Seward, whether he goes to "take on," his present term of enlistment having expired. After re-enlistment he will take a three-months' furlough, and make a visit to the states.

L. F. Arthur sent in to the Wrangell mineral cabinet a specimen of ore from the properties of the Northland Development Co., on the west coast. The specimen is a fine chunk of chalcopyrite. The company shipped 400 tons for a test at the Tacoma smelter last week.

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The Finest Assortment of
HOLIDAY GOODS

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Embraced in this assortment are Appropriate Gifts for Old and Young, including

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Choicest Perfumeries,
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Have a Look at Our Stock Before Buying
Don't Wait. But "get in on the ground floor"

The Shurick Drug Co.

Alaska Sentinel

PUBLISHED WEEKLY

Wrangell, Alaska

A sheath stocking? Shocking!

Love at first sight often proves a slight case after the second meeting.

The only thing wrong with money is that there isn't enough of it to go round.

An expert in drawing need not necessarily be an artist—he may be a dentist instead.

You can't judge the brutality of some people by the horsepower of their automobiles.

A Grand Army veteran has married. We hope it will not prove a case of re-enlistment.

Twenty thousand dollars was paid yesterday for a collection of butterflies. Verily riches have wings.

There are few chances of becoming a hero nowadays unless you get into the fire department, or marry a chorus lady.

The four Singer children of Pittsburgh divided \$16,000,000 among them the other day. For this quartet life is a song.

A New Jersey court decides that it is not unlawful for a man to swear at his wife. Perhaps not, but many find it dangerous.

The man who prides himself on always saying what he thinks, seldom succeeds in saying anything any one else wants to hear.

Some day, perhaps science will evolve the perfected automobile tire. Up to date it still lacks several thousand miles of having done so.

You may have observed that an office-seeker is a man who shakes the voter's hand before the election and shakes the voter afterward.

A discharged laborer caused some German contractors to lose \$875,000. As this does not get him another job, it is hard to figure where his joy comes in.

Necessity being the mother of invention, it is likely that the woman who invented the "hookless waist" has a husband who rebelled and "yumped his boy."

That's a wise doctor who says that it's the comfortable old shoes, not the tight, new ones, which hurt women's feet. He ought to do a rushing business.

"Asthma and society" drove an old man West to begin life over again among strangers. Of course asthma sometimes demands heroic treatment, but he could have escaped from society by merely disposing of his automobile.

It is said that there is enough coal in Alaska to put off the fuel famine from the exhaustion of coal which had been predicted at the end of the present century. This news will be a great relief to present coal consumers who have been alarmed over what they had to expect in about ninety years.

It was from New York that Horace Greeley advised the young man to "Go West!" The advice now comes from three thousand miles farther eastward, and is addressed by Israel Zangwill to an audience of Jews in London. He told his fellow religionists the other day that they ought to migrate to the Western States of America, where there is room for them.

German interests in Argentina and Brazil are so great that German capitalists have decided it is worth while investing six and a half million dollars in a new telegraph cable connecting the fatherland with South America. The imperial government will protect the investors from loss. This is one of the ways by which the ties between the Germans abroad and those at home are preserved, as well as one of the methods adopted for fostering the expansion of German commerce.

During the current fiscal year, which began with July, the Department of Agriculture will expend fifteen million dollars. When one compares this sum with four million dollars which was spent in 1902, one gets an idea of the rate at which this department is growing.

With the possible exception of the Postoffice Department, no other department comes so near to the people, and none touches the ordinary citizen on so many sides. The forestry service, the bureau of animal industry, the testing of foods, the study and prediction of the weather, the development of new plants, the building of roads, the crop reports—these are only a few of the many ways in which this department is helping the people of the whole country. One item of ten thousand dollars to be spent this year may result in the saving of millions. It will be used for testing plants believed to be suitable for paper-making.

The Wall street evils of which the public complains are not in morals, but in economics. If the stock exchange were simply a place where 1,100 brokers matched dollars among themselves the community at large would not be

affected. But what the stock exchange does is to gamble with the capital and resources of the United States, to fix as at present, rates of interest artificially low in order to boom stock prices and at other times to bid interest rates to absurd heights, to the injury of commerce and industry. Its demoralizing effects come from the fluid capital of the United States being used for gambling purposes and taken from legitimate industry. The morals of Wall street, whether by day or night are matters of little more public interest than the personal habits of bookmakers.

Bishop Frank M. Bristol declared at the Rock River Methodist conference in Chicago that the superannuates fund is the easiest one to get money for. Undoubtedly this is true, at a gathering of preachers. It is to be hoped that Bishop Bristol's assertion is becoming generally true of the Methodist laity. There are signs that it is. There are reasons for the indifference toward the claims of the worn-out preachers which has been largely complained of, and for the awakening from that indifference which is now becoming manifest. Many laymen have not realized that, while there are in this country as wide opportunities as there ever were for young men, and wider, there is not the chance there once was for men past middle life to attain material success in a new calling. This change comes inevitably when the wilderness is conquered and the land really populated. Then again, many laymen have had their interest, not in religion, but in the church and its condition, cooled by the attitude of some conspicuous preachers, and their numerous imitators, toward themselves and their business. When the preacher becomes a lecturer, apparently striving to preach everything but the gospel, denying the authority of his office, and asking to be taken simply as a man in his profession, others cannot be blamed for judging him on his individual merits, just as they do men in other professions, and losing respect for the divine calling which the preacher has virtually repudiated. There is an increasing public consciousness of the change in material conditions which makes it almost impossible for a man past middle life who has not achieved reasonable success in his calling to change it for a new one. And there is a growing public awakening to the truth that the Christian ministry, to be worth while, must be not merely a profession chosen like the lawyer's or the engineer's, but a response to a divine call to deliver a message which its bearer cannot know and be silent about. With the purging of the ministry that is slowly but surely going on—with its increasing restriction to men who know they have the message, as evidenced by that very decline of candidates for it so much lamented—there should come a new birth of respect for the real preacher of the gospel—for the man who must and does preach the gospel because he cannot be silent without feeling himself a traitor to himself and to God. And so the claims of the worn-out preacher, whose devotion to his mission and his message has led him to live for his faith, and that alone, through all the years until old age comes and he can do no more, are pressing home to the hearts and souls of men as they never did before.

Reluctant English Courtesy.

That gifted publicity man, A. Toxie Worm, made the preposterous claim in London last winter that he would see to it that there was no "boozing" of the actors at the opening performance by E. H. Sothern. This popular English diversion consists of bellowing through the hands and no "first night" is supposed to be complete without vocal interruptions.

On the night of Mr. Sothern's first performance some forty-five evil-looking men, bearing blackjacks in their sleeves were distributed throughout the gallery and pit. There was no interruption from the audience that night, but only the occasional dull thud of blackjacks upon knuckles. Every hand that was raised as a preliminary to the "boozing" process received a quick blow. Mr. Worm says that he never saw so many limp hands and so many bewildered faces assembled in any one place as he saw that first night among the crowd that left the theater.

At the close of the week that dignified journal, the Times, commented gravely upon the growing courtesy of English audiences toward American actors, and witnessed the case of six productions by Mr. Sothern without a single "boo."—Success Magazine.

Self-Evident.

Once when Chauncey Olcott was in Ireland he visited the wishing well at Killarney with two plain, elderly spinsters. Beside the well sat an old Irish woman, who looked up into Mr. Olcott's handsome face and asked: "What are you wishing for?"

"What do you think I wish for?" he good naturedly inquired.

"Och, thin, for a beautiful young sweetheart, of course," she said.

He pointed to the two spinsters, who stood at a little distance, and said: "Don't you see that I have two with me?"

"Ah, thin it's the grace o' God you're wishin' for," replied the sympathetic old woman.—New York Times.

It is as bad to give a compliment with a "but" attachment, as it is to give a present and grumble about the cost of it.

No doubt economy is a great virtue, but some people have a lot of money they never have any use for.

SCIENCE FINDS the COLDEST COLD



Prof. H. Kammerlingh Onnes of Leyden has succeeded in liquefying helium.

Terrifying in its destructive aspects and appalling in its danger, yet intensely fascinating in its possibilities for benefiting the world, the latest explanation of chemical science has placed mankind literally within but a few degrees of the frozen pole of knowledge.

Heat is life; cold is annihilation. The final and absolute extremes of these are as yet heights so exquisite and depths so profound that they mock us at once the lens and the plummet-line of human conception.

For the sake of convenience, however, science has established a purely arbitrary starting point for the measurement of heat and cold. This is called the "absolute zero," and is fixed at 459 degrees below the familiar zero mark of the Fahrenheit thermometer—a point which chemists have vainly sought to reach ever since Prof. Dewar most nearly approached it by his astonishing feat of liquefying air and hydrogen.

But even Dewar's greatest cold was hundreds of degrees from absolute zero. That was some ten years ago. Now comes news from the old town of Leyden in Holland—birthplace of the electric battery—that Prof. H. Kammerlingh Onnes of that city has succeeded in liquefying the rarest and most volatile of all gases. He has reduced helium to a visible fluid, determined its temperature and made the incredible discovery that it is but a fraction over four degrees from supposedly theoretical jumping-off place of Jack Frost.

In order to appreciate the vast significance of Prof. Onnes' achievement, it is only necessary to recall the means by which the air is kept at zero temperature in a cold storage warehouse. As everyone knows, evaporation causes cold. It is the evaporation of the water with which you bathe your face—not the temperature of the water itself—which produces the sensation of coolness.

According as the evaporation is slow or rapid, the cold produced is less or greater. So, in a cold storage plant, ammonia gas, which is extremely volatile, is allowed to evaporate, either directly into the air or it is released in the presence of brine (which freezes only at less than zero temperature) and the brine, taking the temperature of the evaporating ammonia, is then distributed in pipes throughout the establishment. Thus the desired degree of cold is imparted to the storage rooms.

Now fancy, if you can, a cold, compared with which the deadly chill from ammonia gas is hotter than boiling oil; call this the temperature of liquid hydrogen. Then, with this as a new point of departure, try to imagine a cold so profound that beside it liquid hydrogen itself is as a boiling oil, and the frozen heart of an ice plant is hotter than the bowels of a smelting furnace, and you have some conception of the temperature—if it can be called temperature—of liquefied helium.

Dr. H. T. Galpin, a well known authority on refrigeration, a member of the London Society of Chemical Industry, the American Chemical Society and the Society of Electrical Engineers, attempted to explain in non-technical language what the new discovery means to science and humanity.

"The liquefaction of helium," he said, "is of the most startling and far-reaching significance. It opens the door to possibilities of which students of refrigeration have long been aware, but which thus far have been beyond our reach in actual practice. It is apparent, for example, that if we can distribute ammonia chilled brine from

fection by some tax on his physical condition—some extra work which has depressed his bodily powers, some worry which has preyed upon his mind, some loss of sleep, some undue exposure to atmospheric changes, or some dietary indiscretion.

For indiscreet eating is one of the most ~~probable~~ and yet the least recognized of all the predisposing causes of a cold.

Let the hearty eaters of rich food, who suffer from repeated colds, try a course of abstinence during the coming winter, and they will become convinced of the truth of these remarks. In this case the proof of the pudding is in the not eating of it.—Youth's Companion.

EMPTY HOUSES IN LONDON.

Fifty Thousand of Them at Present Said to Be Lacking Tenants.

Fifty thousand empty houses in London! John Burns made this startling announcement in the house of commons recently, says Tit-Bits. Large as this number is there are those who believe it is under rather than over the mark. A remarkable change has taken place during the past five or six years. Whereas, formerly landlords were masters of the situation, tenants have now the whip hand in nearly every district and are offered all manner of inducements to take houses.

It is not long since that a premium—what amounts to the same thing—"key money"—was demanded by property owners in some parts of London. Today numbers of such men will actually allow tenants a discount, which consists in the case of small property of the expenses of removal up to £1, or else of so many weeks' occupation free. Usually no rent is required for the first fortnight, but in certain localities the competition between property owners is so keen that the period in some cases is one month, masking the discounts about £2 2s or £2 5s.

A more curious bait is free insurance. One company gratuitously insures each of its tenants against fire; while another, besides safeguarding the householder against this contingency, relieves him of apprehension respecting any damage to his furniture by lightning or flood.

Certain separate charges have also been swept away, particularly in the case of flats, which, it is said, are now a drug in the market. Some landlords, for instance, made one for the cleaning of the common staircase, this with the "extra" for gas, amounting to about 1d per week. The 18 pence was really rent, and the reason it was not called such was partly to evade payment of rates. When this is an actual case—a man owned about fifty flats and returned their rent as 15 pence per week each less than it really was, his assessment was considerably lower than it ought to have been, and consequently he did not pay his due proportion of rates. But of late "extras" have frequently been cut to the amount formerly set down as "rent."

REFUSE BURNING BASKET.

Device for Getting Rid of Household Accumulations.

"Oh, my! Whatever shall I do with all this rubbish?" exclaims the housekeeper, beholding a miscellaneous collection of papers, scraps and pasteboard boxes, the roundup of the regular weekly cleaning.

"The ashman declines to take anything but ashes," says the rubbish man picks out only such as he can find use for, and the second-hand man will have nothing but whole papers, and they must be clean, at that." This little monologue may be heard most anywhere. The conditions are about the same in any city or large or medium size. There is a great deal of accumulated material around a house which is quite difficult to dispose of. It might be burned, but an effort to dispose of the mass in an ordinary stove would more than likely lead to disaster, even if the stove is of suitable proportions to accommodate the collection. Most of them are not.

The housekeeper's quandary has led to the invention of a model device to be added to the equipment of the household. It is a refuse destructor, in which the accumulations of the household are to be disposed of by burning in the back yard without danger. The destructor is a basket of wire built on an iron frame, supporting it several inches above the ground. Into this the household accumulations are dumped, as well as the sweepings. A match applied soon reduces the big pile to a handful of dust. Such a device solves completely the problem of the disposal of a great deal of material.

A High Award.

"To you we award the palm." "Can't you give me something more logical," asked the aviator, disdainfully. "I have flown so high that I consider the palm beneath me."—Kansas City Times.

When Eating Causes Colds.

If one who has caught cold will take thought, he will often find that he has prepared himself for the in-

Kitchen Miracles.

In Aunt Amelia's kitchen there are many wonders done, Such miracles are wrought as never seen beneath the sun:

A pumpkin from the garden—just a yellow sphere that lies

Beneath her skillful handling ripens quickly into pies;

The corn grows into fritters, you must marvel at the change;

The apples change to dumplings in the glowing kitchen range;

She waves her hands above it, and the milk is cottage cheese.

You merely watch her, and you see such

miracles as these.

Church That Is Battling for Progress

In the early part of the winter we decided that in order to get acquainted with the newcomers we must have a good social after-meeting in the chapel adjoining the church. This meeting was at first of the most informal character. The ladies served coffee and cake and there was a real mixture of the classes.

One night when we had had a number of these social after-meetings a working man was asked to give us a five-minute talk. He did so, and before we were prepared for it we were confronted with a new phase—a new necessity.

After that it seemed quite natural to ask any one of prominence who happened to be present to speak. Later we asked for questions from those who would not, or could not, make a speech.

We then found it necessary to have a prepared program and a chairman.

The church services had a gradual increase in attendance, and the after-

meetings grew in the same proportion. It was a strange sight to see hundreds of people emerge from the pews, get into file—four to sit deep—and slowly squeeze through the chancel doors into the chapel. This was a slow process, but it gave us a chance to shake hands with the people as they went through.

In the conference we discussed child labor, model tenements, the unemployed, the "bread line," individualism, socialism, and kindred topics. The leading speakers were given half an hour and speakers on the floor three minutes. The very sound of the word socialism made some of our people nervous and uneasy. Some heard it one night and returned not again; others heard it and fought it violently; still others grew to like it.—Success Magazine.

The King's Cock Crower.

In the good old time there was an English court official known as the king's cock crower. It seems a strange office. Why did the king require a cock crower, and why could not the common barn door variety serve his majesty's purpose? The reason, as you shall see, was that the barn door variety cannot be depended upon for times and hours, and he has never been persuaded to observe Lent. Now, this was a pious custom and a religious duty. All through Lent the king's cock crower crowded instead of calling the hours of the night in the palace. He began on Ash Wednesday, when he entered the hall in which the king's supper was served, and then crowded the hour in the presence of the royal party. The meaning of the custom is obvious. It was only one of the many ways in which the history of the Christian religion was brought home to the minds of people before the reading of the gospel in the vernacular. The office was continued down to the year 1822.—London Queen.

The Greatest Widower.

This is said to be the title of a genuine essay evolved some years ago by a boy in a Welsh board school:

King Henry VIII. was the greatest widower that ever lived. He was born at Anno Domini in the year 1496. He had 510 wives besides children. The first was beheaded and executed. The second was reviled. She never smiled again. But she said the word "Calais" would be found on her heart after her death. The greatest man in this reign was Lord Sir Garret Wolsey. He was sir named the Boy Bachelor. He was born at the age of 15, unmarried. Henry VIII. was succeeded on the throne by his great-grandmother, the beautiful and accomplished Mary, Queen of Scots, sometimes known as the Lady of the Lake!"

True, Too True!

"After all," said the optimist, "our neighbors turn out to be better than some of us seem to think them to be."

"Perhaps," replied the pessimist, "but none of them will ever turn out to be as good as most of us seem to think they ought to be."—Philadelphia Press.

Catarrh

Invites Consumption

It weakens the delicate lung tissues, deranges the digestive organs, and breaks down the general health.

It often causes headache and dizziness, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, and affects the voice.

Being a constitutional disease it requires a constitutional remedy.

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Radically and permanently cures. In usual liquid form or chocolate tablets known as **Sarsatabs**. 100 doses \$1.

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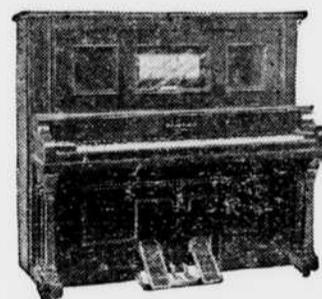
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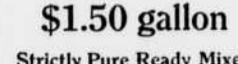
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You will put some shoe on my family like this, and send by Sam Jameson, the carrier: One man, Jean St. Jean (me), forty-two years; one woman, Sophie St. Jean (she), forty-one years; Hermedes and Leonore, nineteen years; Honore, eighteen years; Celine, seventeen years; Narcisse, Octavia and Phyllis, sixteen years; Olivia, fourteen years; Philippa, thirteen years; Alexandre, twelve years; Rosina, eleven years; Bruno, ten years. Pierre, nine years; Eugene, we loss him; Edouard and Eliza, seven years; Adrien, six years; Camille, five years; Zoul, four years; Joseph, three years; Moise, two years; Muriel, one year; Hillaire, he go barefoot. How much?

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Miss Peck had previously gone to South America twice to climb this mountain. On an earlier trial she was compelled to give up the attempt after reaching a height of 17,500 feet, owing to the cowardice of her guides. By reaching an altitude of 25,000 feet Miss Peck has ascended higher than any other person, man or woman, in the world. The previous record was held by W. W. Graham, who reached a height of 23,800 feet in the Himalayas.

Miss Peck began her mountain climbing in 1895, when she scaled the Matterhorn. She ascended Mount Sorata, in Bolivia, reaching a height of 20,500 feet. Huascarán, or Huascaran, towers above a notable group of volcanic summits in the south of Peru to the westward of the great plateau in which Lake Titicaca lies.

Miss Peck has surmounted almost insuperable obstacles, chief among them the lack of means. Miss Peck was at one time professor in a Western college, but for many years she has been occupied as a lecturer and has climbed many mountains for the purpose of obtaining material for her lectures. It has been her ambition to climb Huascarán, reputed the highest mountain in the world, which all the climbers of the world had failed to ascend. She has had the greatest difficulty in raising funds for her trips, but she has persisted in the face of constant discouragement and has started on her mission each time with barely enough money to take her through her schedule, with no allowance for accident and with but scanty equipment. Scientifically her equipment has always been of the best and no doubt she will bring back some valuable observations. Her past two trips have been made with native guides who proved almost worse than useless. This time she had with her two Swiss guides and it is doubtless to their experience and hardiness that she owes her success.—Utica Globe.

MAY FIRES.

Ancient Scotch Custom Which Involved Human Sacrifice.

Sir John Sinclair's "Statistical Account of Scotland" contains notices of many old customs, which still continued to be observed in the Highlands, though they were even then fast dying out. From the eleventh volume of that great work, which was published in 1791 and the succeeding years, we learn, on the authority of the minister of Callendar, Perthshire, that the boys of the township assembled in a body upon the moors on May day and proceeded to dig a circular trench, leaving the soil in the center undisturbed, so as to form a low table of green turf sufficient in size to accommodate the whole party.

They lighted a fire and prepared a custard of milk and eggs and a large oatmeal cake, which they baked upon a stone placed in the embers. When they had eaten the custard, they divided the cake into as many equal portions as there were persons in the assembly and daubed one of those pieces with charcoal until it was perfectly black. They then placed all the pieces of the cake together in a bonnet, and each in turn drew one blindfolded, the holder of the bonnet being entitled to the last piece. The boy who drew the blackened portion was destined to be sacrificed and was compelled to leap three times through the flames.

Although the ceremony had degenerated into a mere pastime for boys, it is evident that it must once upon a time have involved the actual sacrifice of a human being in order to render the coming summer fruitful.—Gentleman's Magazine.

She Hated Garrick.

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In the event that provision is made to establish an asylum in Alaska for the care of the insane of the territory, the choice of a site will probably require considerable study and investigation. Such an institution should be placed where it would be somewhat isolated from the principal travel and at the same time provide an opportunity for having a garden and a few cows, milk being an article that is much used in the treatment of insane, and working in gardens having been proven of inestimable value in diverting the minds of the patients from their hallucinations and delusions.

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Another fact which contributes to the advantages of Farm Island is the great abundance of pure water. There are a number of fine mountain streams on the island, and these could easily be turned into pipes and carried down to the building site.

Some will say that Farm Island is a difficult place to reach, and would therefore be impracticable as a site for an asylum or hospital. But this is not true. We admit the fact that deep water vessels can not reach the island, but there is no time in the year when small stern-wheeled boat of shallow draft could not run from Wrangell to the big slough which puts into the river south of the buildings of the old mission on Farm Island. If the government should put an asylum or hospital on the island, it would not be long in furnishing such a craft as could easily ply between there and Wrangell at any time of the year.

This matter is one which should be the earnest consideration of the local Chamber of Commerce, as with the asylum built at Farm Island, it will mean a good many thousands of dollars to the business men of this town.

An illustration of the benefits to be derived from public institutions, let us cite Salem, Oregon. A city of 15,000 is supported almost wholly by the state institutions in and near the city. Over three hundred physicians and attendants are employed at the asylum alone, and a large number of these own property in the city, besides having their own families. The Salem postoffice has gone up into the first

class and the government has put up an elegant stone postoffice at a cost of \$69,000. The city's streets are paved, and Salem has hourly electric car service to Portland. It is a well known fact that the state institutions have virtually built the city of Salem.

There is no reason why Wrangell should not receive the benefits incidental to a large public institution, and it is up to every resident to boost for the asylum. Let's not wait till "lightning strikes," but get busy now.

The interest recently displayed by the Interior Department in the matter of attempting to improve the condition of the Alaskan Indians is almost certain to result in the erection and equipment of a hospital at some point in this part of Alaska, in conformity with the recommendations of Prof. Harlan Updike. Wrangell's business men should bend every effort to have that hospital established here or near here. No town in Alaska is so favorably located.

The matter of placing a warning of some kind upon that rock which lies in the harbor entrance is being broached again, and well may it be. Several boats have received damages by striking that rock, and it is high time it were marked. If the government lighthouse tender can not be prevailed upon to mark that rock, the local Chamber of Commerce should do it. The cost of placing a spindle on the rock should not exceed \$20.

Mr. Matheson has been in correspondence with the big steamship companies for some time with a view to having the tourist steamers remain at Wrangell long enough to give the tourists an opportunity to visit Leconte Glacier. This is one of the finest scenic attractions of this section of Alaska, and we sincerely hope that success may crown Mr. Matheson's efforts.

It is to be regretted that the plundering of garnets from the ledge near town has made it necessary to place a watchman at the properties in order to prevent further depredations. Removing those garnets without the permission of the owners is just as much a crime as robbing sluice boxes in a placer camp, while the profits are infinitely smaller.

SENTINEL has been talking loud and long on the subject of a pulp mill for this section, and now we are informed that one is to be put in at Tonka as the result of efforts put forth by the business men of Petersburg. Demonstrating what may be accomplished by concerted action.

S. L. Hogue, one of Petersburg's hustling business men, says that the reason three corpses have recently been shipped from that town to Wrangell for burial, is that "we don't want dead people at Petersburg, but we've got all kinds of room for live ones."

It is said that Governor Hoggatt will make a strenuous effort to secure the abolition of the Tongass Forest Reserve, which embraces the Alexander Archipelago. If he succeeds, he will call forth the eternal gratitude of the people for having ridden this section of a most gigantic farce.

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All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to said administrator at Petersburg, Alaska, or to the United States Commissioner at Wrangell, First Division, District of Alaska, with proper vouchers therewith, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Wrangell, Alaska, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1908.

JOHN THORMODSTER,
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NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern that I have been appointed by the United States Commissioner and Probate Judge of Wrangell Precinct, Division No. 1, District of Alaska, administrator of the estate of Ole Todal, deceased.

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